

HOG PRICES DOWN ACCOUNT FLOOD

Cattle Market is Also Affected by Reduction of Shipping Demands From the East.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 4.—Hog prices declined today influenced by floods east causing a reduction of shipping demand. The cattle market was also affected in a similar way. Offerings of sheep and lambs were not over-plentiful but western lambs proved to be slow of sale.

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Hogs: Receipts, 28,000; dull; bulk, \$6.55@7.30; light, 7.20@7.55; mixed, 6.40@7.75; heavy, 6.20@7.25; rough, 6.20@6.35; pigs, 6.75@7.75.

Cattle: Receipts, 6,000; easy; native beef cattle, 6.20@10.30; cows and heifers, 3.20@9.25; calves, 8.00@11.50.

Sheep: Receipts, 12,000; steady; sheep, 6.10@7.00; lambs, 6.75@9.50.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, Aug. 4.—Hogs: Receipts, 4,500; steady; bulk, 6.75@7.40; heavy, 6.50@7.15; light, 6.10@7.45; pigs, 6.50@7.00.

Cattle: Receipts, 5,000; steady; steers, 7.00@10.00; cows and heifers, 6.75@9.50; calves, 8.00@10.25.

Sheep: Receipts, 5,000; steady; lambs, 8.25@9.00; yearlings, 6.50@7.50; wethers, 6.25@7.00; ewes, 6.00@6.75.

St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Aug. 4.—Hogs: Receipts, 7,500; steady; pigs and lights 7.25@7.75; heavy 6.80@7.25.

Cattle: Receipts, 4,500; steady; steers 7.50@10.15; heifers 8.50@10.00; cows 6.00@8.00; calves 6.10@10.75.

Sheep: Receipts, 3,200; steady; sheep 4.50@5.50; lambs 8.00@8.75.

Omaha Live Stock.

Omaha, Aug. 4.—Hogs: Receipts, 10,500; lower; heavy, \$6.10@6.90; light, \$6.50@7.30; pigs, \$5.75@7.25; bulk, \$6.25@6.85.

Cattle: Receipts, 2,700; steady; steers, \$7.35@9.55; cows and heifers, \$5.80@7.50; calves, \$7.00@10.00.

Sheep: Receipts, 4,400; steady; yearlings, \$6.00@7.00; wethers, \$5.80@6.60; lambs, \$8.40@9.00.

Market Square Sales.

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One load of oats at..... 50c

Russia to Raise Embargo.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 4.—A conference between officials of the United States and Russia to settle details of an agreement that will remove the Russian embargo against exports to this country was arranged today.

Commercial Attaché Melnikovsky will meet representatives of the state and commerce departments later in the week to frame a working plan for proposals accepted by the Russian government, under which all imports from Russia will be consigned to the secretary of the department of commerce, to be determined by him when he can secure guarantees satisfactory to the Russian embassy that the goods will not be re-exported to belligerent countries. It is probable that the details will be arranged and the plan placed in operation within two weeks.

Legal.

Notice of Publication—Chancery.

State of Illinois, Rock Island County, ss.

In the Circuit Court, September term, 1915.

Rose Bruensing, complainant, vs. E. G. Fye, A. E. Halferty, Katherine Halferty, Jennie Mellott, as administratrix of the estate of G. W. Mellott, deceased, Jennie Mellott, Arnold Mellott, Bessie M. Mellott, Olive R. Mellott, George D. Mellott, Keokuk County State Bank, a corporation, defendants.

Affidavit of non-residence of the above named, E. G. Fye, A. E. Halferty, Katherine Halferty, Jennie Mellott, as administratrix of the estate of G. W. Mellott, deceased, Jennie Mellott, Arnold Mellott, Bessie M. Mellott, Olive R. Mellott, George D. Mellott, Keokuk County State Bank, a corporation, defendants, Herbert S. Peck and Robert W. Barrett, having been filed in the clerk's office of the circuit court of said court, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the complainant filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the second day of July, 1915, and amendment thereto on the third day of August, 1915, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said court, wherein said suit is now pending, on said original bill and on said amendment, each returnable on the third Monday in the month of September, 1915, next, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said non-resident defendants above named, E. G. Fye, A. E. Halferty, Katherine Halferty, Jennie Mellott, as administratrix of the estate of G. W. Mellott, deceased, Jennie Mellott, Arnold Mellott, Bessie M. Mellott, Olive R. Mellott, George D. Mellott, Keokuk County State Bank, a corporation, defendants, etc., shall personally be and appear before said circuit court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at Rock Island in and for the said county, on the third Monday in September next, and plead, answer or demur to the said complaint, and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

REPORTS OF RUST SEND WHEAT UP

Abnormal Cool Weather Keeps Corn Firm and Oats Rise in Sympathy With Other Grain.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Black rust reports becoming more numerous gave wheat today a decided upturn. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/4 off to 1/2 up, were followed by a general advance.

The close was steady at 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 c net rise.

Abnormally cool weather made corn firm. After opening 1/4 to 1/2 c higher, the market scored further gains. The market closed steady at 1 1/2 to 1 3/4 c net advance.

Oats rose with other grain and as a result of rains.

Stop-loss selling carried down provisions.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Wheat: No. 2 red 114@116; No. 2 hard 121 1/2@123 1/2.

Corn: No. 2 yellow 82@83; No. 4 yellow 81 1/2.

Oats: No. 3 white 53 1/2@59; standard 54@60.

Rye: No. 2 nominal; No. 3, 1.00; barley 70@78; timothy 5.50@7.00; clover 8.50@13.25.

Pork 13.25; lard 7.52; ribs 8.50@9.00.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Butter: Lower; creamery, 20@24c.

Eggs: Receipts, 10,970 cases; unchanged.

Potatoes: Receipts, 30 cars; unchanged.

Poultry: Alive, higher; fowls, 13 1/2c; springs, 16@17c.

Omaha Grain.

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 4.—Wheat: No. 2 hard 1.20@1.48.

Corn: No. 2 white 75 1/2@76 1/2; No. 2 yellow 76 1/2@77 1/2; No. 2 75 1/2@76 1/2.

Oats: No. 3 white 50 1/2@51 1/2.

Liverpool Grain.

Liverpool, Aug. 4.—No. 1 northern Duluth, 11s 6d; No. 2 hard winter, 11s 7d.

Corn: American mixed, new, 8s 7 1/2d.

New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 4.—Raw sugar dull; centrifugal 4.44; molasses 3.87; refined cane, 15 points lower. Cut loaf 6.55; crushed 6.45; mould "A" 6.10; cubes 5.90; XXXX powdered 5.80; powdered 5.75; fine granulated 5.65; diamond "A" 5.35; confectioners A 5.50; B 5.40.

St. Louis Produce.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 4.—Poultry and eggs unchanged.

Butter, creamery, 25c.

New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 4.—Butter, firmer; receipts, 11,807; creamery extras, 24 1/2; firsts, 24@25; seconds, 22 1/2@23 1/2.

Eggs, irregular; receipts, 14,863; fresh gathered extras, 23@25; extra firsts, 21@22 1/2; firsts, 18@20; seconds, 16@17 1/2.

Cheese, steady; receipts, 4,548; state whole milk fresh flats and twins colored specials, 13 1/2@14 1/2; do white, 13 1/2@14; do white and colored average fancy, 13 1/2.

Live poultry prices not settled. Dressed steady; western frozen roasting chickens, 18@22; fresh fowls, 13 1/2@17; fresh turkeys, 15@16.

Kansas City Grain.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 4.—Wheat: No. 2 hard, 1.21@1.38; No. 2 red, 1.19@1.20.

Corn: No. 2 mixed, 77@77 1/2; No. 2 white, 77 1/2@78; No. 2 yellow, 79 1/2@80.

Oats: No. 2 white, 53; No. 2 mixed, 45@46 1/2.

Rye, 86@87.

Hay—Timothy, 12.50@13.50; prairie, 10.50@12.00; alfalfa, 13.00@13.50.

Peoria Grain.

Peoria, Aug. 4.—Corn: No. 2 white, 80; No. 2 yellow, 80 1/2; No. 2 mixed, 80c.

Oats: Sample new, 42 1/2.

Kansas City Produce.

Kansas City, Aug. 4.—Butter, eggs and poultry, unchanged.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.

Sep. 1.05 1.06 1.04 1.05 1.05 1.05

Dec. 1.07 1.07 1.05 1.07 1.07 1.05

Corn—

Sep. 74 76 74 76

Dec. 63 65 63 65

Oats—

Sep. 39 42 39 42

Dec. 40 42 40 42

Pork—

Sep. 13.45 13.50 13.25 13.35

Oct. 13.62 13.70 13.45 13.52

Lard—

Sep. 7.92 8.02 7.90 7.92

Oct. 8.90 8.07 8.00 8.02

Ribs—

Sep. 9.12 9.12 8.97 9.00

Oct. 9.05 9.05 8.95 8.97

LOCAL MARKETS.

Aug. 4.—Following are the wholesale quotations on the local market today:

Butter, Eggs and Cheese

Cheese, brick, pound.....16c

Butter, dairy, pound.....21c

Butter, creamery, print, pound.....22c

Butter, creamery, bulk, pound.....23c

Eggs, fresh.....19c

Vegetables.

Parsley, dozen bunches.....20c

Cabbage, dozen.....25c

Leaf lettuce, pound.....5c

Caiflower, dozen.....80c

Radishes, dozen.....12 1/2c

Spinach, per bushel.....12 1/2c

Rhubarb, dozen.....12 1/2c

Turnips, dozen.....15c

Beets, dozen.....15c

Green corn.....10c

New Potatoes.....40c

Green and wax beans.....75c

Carrots.....12 1/2c

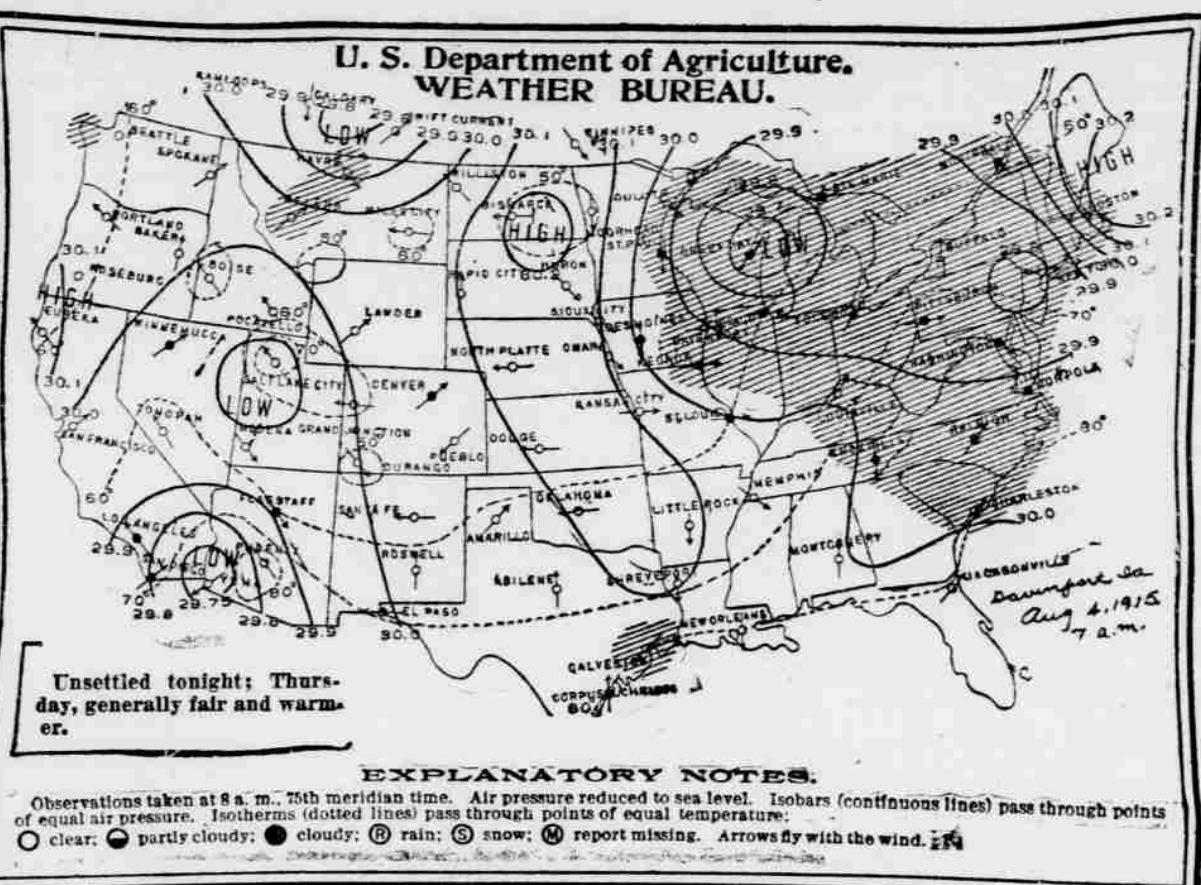
Celery.....22 1/2c

Onions.....50c

Fruit.

Home apples, per bushel.....40c

Daily United States Weather Map



WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Low pressures which prevail from the lake region to the middle Atlantic states, with separate centers over eastern Wisconsin and southeastern New York, have been maintained by rains from the Atlantic coast westward to the upper Mississippi valley. At Raleigh, N. C., the rainfall amounted to 5.26 inches; at Buffalo, N. Y., to 2.48 inches, and at Washington, D. C., to 2.32 inches. The western area of high pressure and fair, cool weather extends from the valley of the Red River of the North to Texas, while the northwestern low remains over Alberta and Saskatchewan. Owing to the slow eastward movement of these conditions, unsettled and continued cool weather is indicated for this vicinity tonight, followed Thursday by generally fair and warmer.

OBSERVATIONS.

	High.	Low.	Prep.
Boston	64	60	.01
Buffalo	76	64	2.48
Davenport	63	54	.02
Denver	86	56	.00
Jacksonville	90	78	.00
Kansas City	64	56	.00
New Orleans	96	76	.00
New York	64	56	1.48
Norfolk	88	76	.20
Phoenix	104	80	.00
St. Louis	72	58	.00
St. Paul	50	56	.00
San Diego	74	64	.00
San Francisco	68	52	.00
Seattle	72	54	.00
Washington	90	68	2.32

DAILY RIVER BULLETIN.

	Flood stage.	Hgt.	Chga.
Saint Paul	14	7.1	0.0
Red Wing	14	5.7	-0.1
Reeds Landing	12	5.9	+0.1
La Crosse	12	7.1	+0.1
Lansing	13	8.3	+0.1
Prairie du Chien	18	8.3	+0.1
Dubuque	18	10.3	+0.1
La Claire	10	5.8	+0.3
DAVENPORT	15	8.4	+1.0
Keokuk	15	14.0	+0.3
Hannibal	13	15.9	+0.3
Saint Louis	30	29.7	+1.0
Memphis	35	25.8	-0.9
New Orleans	18	14.0	0.0

J. M. SHERIER, Local Forecaster.

DAY IN DAVENPORT

Slayer Held; \$5,000 Bond—Bert

Hamson, charged with violating the Mann white slave act, on information sworn out by Florence Robb, his victim, pleaded not guilty before United States Commissioner A. G. Bush yesterday and waived preliminary examination. His bond was fixed at \$5,000. Hamson apparently was familiar with court procedure, stating that he would waive the examination. After he was bound over to the federal grand jury he asked Commissioner Bush to recommend a lawyer. Several were named. He had not retained an attorney shortly after noon yesterday. Florence Robb, the accuser of Hamson, alleged in her complaint prior to the swearing out of information, that Hamson took away her clothes and forced her to stay in a room at 512 Rock Island street for several days. She alleges that on different occasions he came up to her room in company with other men.

Sell Schmidt Home—The beautiful

home of Mrs. Adele Schmidt on Clifton Hill was sold to H. P. Broders of Durant, Iowa. This is considered one of the prettiest riverfront residences in Davenport and was bought for a future home by Mr. Broders, who retires from active farm life next spring. The sale was negotiated through the R. L. Miller agency.

Two Married by Justice—Two couples

were married by Justice of the Peace Phil Baum. They are Perry Von Ach and Emily Whitehead, both of Hampton, Ill., and J. W. Joy of Davenport and Alvina Heiden of Guttenberg, Iowa.

Find Tuberculosis Among Stock—

Because two hogs, out of a shipment of 19, sold to the Davenport Slaughterhouse and Rendering company by Frank Baker, a farmer living near here, were affected with tuberculosis, the entire herd of dairy cows owned by the man were condemned by Dairy Inspector Alfred Wright. The report of the dairy inspector was submitted to the board of health and the board ratified the action. The herd was condemned on the theory that if the swine are affected with the disease the cows may also be affected. Baker had been selling the milk from the herd to John Wailand, who, in turn, was selling it into the city. In the meantime Wailand will be forced to purchase the milk sold here from another dairyman. The condemnation of the dairy inspector is only temporary. It will extend until a member of the state board comes here and tests the cows to determine whether or not the disease exists among them. John Kraklio, the dairyman living west of the city, who was accused of watering the milk, lost his license at the meeting of the board of health yesterday. Kraklio had been instructed to appear before the board, but he did not arrive until after adjournment. His son, Louis, had also been summoned, but it was discovered that he was in no way responsible and he was allowed to continue. He will submit to a rigid test. The milk sold by Kraklio, said City Physician Middleton, tested 2.2 butter fat, whereas the cows tested 3.5.

New Road in Buffalo Township—

Farmers in Buffalo township to avoid a detour of several miles have requested and been allowed permission to purchase land and complete the con-

struction of a dirt road. The petition signed by William Gruenwald and several other farmers of the vicinity was filed and allowed by the board. The building of the half mile cutoff will save the farmers constructing the new road a detour of several miles. It is estimated that the saving in cost of hauling and time will pay for the road section in two years. Plans were drawn up by County Engineer John Malloy and work will be started immediately on the new road section. Upon completion it will be added to the county road system. The section will be 40 feet wide.

Locate Dillon Fountain—Location of

the memorial fountain for which a gift of \$10,000 was made the city of Davenport in the will of the late Judge F. Dillon was selected at a meeting of the Levee Improvement commission. The fountain will be erected at the eastern end of the Levee park midway between the barrier wall and the sea wall. The location at the foot of Main street was considered the most convenient spot in the park. The bequest, less the inheritance tax, leaves \$9,525 in actual cash for the construction of the memorial fountain. Work on the building of which will begin soon.

Jilted Jitney Case Dismissed—

George Hoosline, driver of the "jilted jitney" between Davenport and Rock Island, has come within the ordinance of the Davenport city council, and will now resume the business of operating his jitney bus between Davenport and Rock Island. Hoosline was dismissed in police court when the case was called by Magistrate Rodewig. Attorney B. T. O'Neill, the jitney bus legal expert, appeared on behalf of his client and stated that Hoosline had taken out license and bonds, and was now respecting the ordinance. The action of Hoosline and his attorney dismisses finally the intention of the jitney bus men to establish a test case bearing on the ordinance and fight it through the courts. Immediately after the order was signed on the injunction proceeding in district court jitney bus men announced their intention of turning the fight in another channel, and by means of establishing a test case and opposing it by habeas corpus procedure ascertain the strength of the law. Soon after this Hoosline was arrested. He told Sergeant Nagel he was running a free bus to Rock Island. "I did not charge them anything, but most of them paid a nickel," he said. "If they didn't want to pay me, though, I didn't say anything."

Boy Campers On Way—Twenty boys

this morning left on the annual boys' camp of the Y. M. C. A. which will be at Crystal Lake this year. The party left at 6:30 o'clock over the Rock Island road. The camp will last 10 days. Physical Director O. E. Johnson and W. D. Thomas of the boys' department will be in charge of the party. One of the principal features will be first aid to the injured lectures and health talks. The latter will include suggestions on eating, sleeping, exercise, care of the teeth, treatment for accidents to the eye, ear and nose and sex hygiene. There will be special swimming classes daily and daily instruction in resuscitation.

Smith is Named Oil Inspector—Frank

W. Smith, formerly proprietor of the

Amazon Vinegar and Pickling works, now out of business, has been named oil inspector for this district to succeed J. P. Risley, recently appointed chief inspector for the state. Although the commission of Mr. Smith has not as yet been received here, he has had assurances that he has been selected by Governor Clarke to fill the place made vacant by the promotion of Mr. Risley. Mr. Risley left for Des Moines today and he will assume his new duties at once.

MANY DROWN IN BIG FLOOD IN ERIE, PA.

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the last minute to leave and in several cases families still refused to seek safety.

Four blocks on either side of the stream, including State street, the main business artery of the city, were covered with a depth of from six inches to five feet.

Early this morning gas mains all over the city were cut off and telephone, street car and electric lighting service were paralyzed.

The charitable societies, the armory, hotels and hastily organized shelter clubs gave refuge to hundreds who saved by their own lives and a few meagre belongings.

The darkness, the danger of broken electric wires and the 25-mile current of the flood made the work of rescue extremely perilous.

The life saving crews from the Lake Erie shore front and the members of the naval militia started the search for bodies.

The narrow escape of Fire Chief McMahon with four firemen in a successful attempt to rescue three women led to the report of their death but they jumped to safety from the second floor.

Early this morning as details of the disaster began to collect the story of Firemen Sherry and Bates stand out among the scores of heroic acts. Taking a girl from her home on the creek bank, they started down the telephone pole which had enabled them to reach her, when the house fell against the pole and all three were swept into the swift current. A block further down the trio were pulled from the stream by other firemen.

Danger from falling high tension electric wires became apparent soon after dawn and the authorities threw a heavy guard of police and volunteers around the flooded section. Many poles, weighted with wires and undermined by the flood dropped into the streets.

Traffic is Tied Up.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 4.—Traffic between the east and the west over both the Lake Shore and the Nickel Plate railroads, was completely tied up from the time the cloudburst let loose over Erie last night, till 8 o'clock this morning, when officials of both roads reported that communication had been reestablished with the west over temporary single tracks. Washouts, unprecedented in depth and extent, and the loss of culverts and part of one bridge, through which a freight train crashed, it was said, were the worst features of the problem facing the operating of the roads.

story windows as the house was washed away under them.

The washing out of the main line of the New York Central and the Pennsylvania railroads stalled a dozen or more passenger trains here, with no prospects of their departure for a couple of days.

One crowded train bound for New

STEEL FIGURES AT HIGHEST EVER

Bethlehem and United States Continue Soaring Over Previous Highest Price Quotations.

New York, Aug. 4.—The stock market held up well during the morning and in some instances gains were increased.

Transactions in U. S. Steel were heavy and the quotation was advanced two points to 69 1/2, exceeding the highest figures of 1914 and 1913, when the stock was on a dividend basis. Bethlehem Steel's rise was increased 21 points to 289.

After a muted opening today the stock market developed sudden strength with a keen demand for steel and oil shares, coppers and various other industrials.

Trading again ran largely to the war stocks and Bethlehem Steel outdid its previous rapid advances. It opened at 27 1/2, as compared with yesterday's close of 26 1/2, and on the next sale jumped to 28 1/2. It then advanced to 28 1/2, an overnight rise of 19 points and a gain of 12 points over its previous high record.

Last Sale.

American Beet Sugar	58
American Can	59
American Car & Foundry	62½
American Cotton Oil	50½
American Smelting & Refining	80½
American Sugar Refining	109
American Tel. & Tel.	122
Anaconda Mining Co.	71
Atchafalpa	101½
Baltimore & Ohio	80½
Bethlehem Steel	290
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	86½
California Petroleum	17½
Canadian Pacific	144½
Central Leather	42½
Chesapeake & Ohio	42
Chino Copper	46½
Chicago & North Western	123½
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	81½
Denver & Rio Grande	4-B
Erle	27½
General Electric	173½
Goodrich Co.	52½
Great Northern Pfd.	119½
Illinois Central	103½
Interborough-Met.	20½
International Harvester	106
Lehigh Valley	143½
Louisville & Nashville	110-B
Maxwell Motor Co. 1st Pfd.	83-B